

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
		:	Examiner: A. Mirza
KOJI KIKUCHI)	
		:	Group Art Unit: 2145
Application No.: 09/675,002		.)	
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Filed: September 29, 2000)	
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For:	DATA PROCESSING)	•
	APPARATUS	•	January 18, 2006

Mail Stop Petition Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated September 19, 2005 for one month from December 19, 2005 to January 19, 2006.

Submitted herewith is a check for \$120.00 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

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California office at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to
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Respectfully submitted,

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